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PATENT

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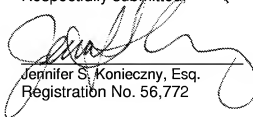
Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action dated August 25, 2006, extending the statutory period of response from November 25, 2006 to February 26, 2007.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the \$510.00 extension fee to the credit card specified during the EFS process. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional filing fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2809. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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